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SUBJECT: CCMS: GEOTHERMAL ENERGY MEETING, NEW ZEALAND

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(3) WELLINGTON 602

1. GENERAL

A. PER TELECON MARCH 15 BRESEE, AEC -HODSOLL, EPA-A.J. ELLIS, GNZ, BELOW IS SUBSTITUTE SCHEDULE/AGENDA FOR APRIL 29-MAY 3 MEETING SUGGESTED BY US TO GNZ, SUBJECT TO FINAL GNZ APPROVAL. THIS TAKES INTO ACCOUNT PARTICULAR INTERESTS EXPRESSED THUS FAR AND TRIES OPTIMIZE USE OF MEETING TIME IN NZ. MEETING LOCATION WILL BE IN VICINITY OF WAIRAKAI.

B. SUGGESTED AGENDA:

(1) MONDAY MORNING (4/29). CONSIDERATION OF IMPLEMENTATION OF INFO EXCHANGE. MEETING TO BE DEVOTED TO GENERAL POLICY QUESTIONS, E.G., NUMBER OF INFORMATION EXCHANGE CENTERS, COMPOSITION OF AND DIRECTORS OF CENTERS, FUNDING, ETC.

(2) MONDAY AFTERNOON. SIMULTANEOUS SESSIONS AS FOLLOWS:

GROUP I - SPECIALISTS IN INFO EXCHANGE. THEY WILL CONSIDER TECHNICAL DETAILS SUCH AS COMPATIBILITY OF COMPUTERS, SCOPE OF DATA BASE, ETC. TO THE EXTENT THAT ADDITIONAL TIME NEEDED, THESE SPECIALISTS COULD CONTINUE THEIR DISCUSSIONS ON THIS SUBJECT, COVERING TO EXTENT POSSIBLE OTHER POINTS SUGGESTED REF 1.

GROUP II - DISCUSSIONS OF BRINE HANDLING AND DISPOSAL.

(3) TUESDAY MORNING (4/30). DISCUSSION OF CORROSION AND PRECIPITATION.

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(4) TUESDAY AFTERNOON. DISCUSSION OF NON-ELECTRICAL APPLICATIONS OF GEOTHERMAL RESOURCES.

(5) WEDNESDAY (5/1) AND THURSDAY (5/2). FIELD TRIPS TO PULP MILL, KAWERAU, GEOTHERMAL INSTALLATIONS AT WAIRAKAI AND ROTARUA; AND DISCUSSION OF RESERVOIR MECHANICS, ALL ACCORDING TO A SCHEDULE TO BE WORKED OUT

BY GNZ SO AS TO MINIMIZE LOGISTICAL PROBLEMS OF TRAVEL-
ING FROM MEETING PLACE TO INSPECTION SITES.

(6) FRIDAY MORNING (5/3). DISCUSSION OF BINARY CYCLES.
(US FULL-FLEDGED PARTICIPATION IN THIS TOPIC DEPENDENT
ON COOPERATION OF US INDUSTRY, WHICH CURRENTLY BEING
SOUGHT).

PURPOSE IS TO ACHIEVE CONSENSUS TEXT ON:

A. IMPLEMENTATION PLAN FOR GEOTHERMAL INFORMATION
EXCHANGE (INCLUDING NATIONAL COMMITMENTS
THERE TO).

B. PLAN FOR NEXT LEG OF NON-ELECTRICAL STUDY TOUR
AND PREPARATION OF EVALUATION REPORT.

C. PROJECT PROPOSAL IN GEOTHERMAL BRINE HANDLING
AND DISPOSAL (VIS MULTIPURPOSE UTILIZATION
OF BRINES).

WE ALSO WISH TO OBTAIN AGREEMENT ON SUBSTANCE OF STATE-
MENT TO BE PRESENTED BY PILOT DIRECTOR BRESEE TO
CCMS/MAY PLENARY AT TURIN; AND TO RECOMMEND FUTURE
COURSE OF ALL OTHER PARTS OF CCMS GEOTHERMAL PILOT
STUDY COVERED BY NZ MEETING.

C. GENERAL FORMAT OF EACH TOPIC SESSION WOULD CONSIST
OF TWO OR THREE FORMAL PRESENTATIONS FOLLOWED BY OPEN

DISCUSSION. SUGGESTIONS AS TO WHO MIGHT MAKE PRESENTA-
TIONS WILL FOLLOW. OVERALL GOAL OF MEETING IS TO
STIMULATE INTERACTION OF REPS., TO HARMONIZE AND
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OPTIMIZE RESPECTIVE NATIONAL ON-GOING GEOTHERMAL PRO-
GRAMS AND TO INITIATE SUBSTANTIVE ACTION PROJECTS UNDER
PILOT STUDY.

2. FOR WELLINGTON:

A) REQUEST EMBASSY CLEAR ABOVE AGENDA WITH GNZ
AND REPORT RESULT ALL ADDRESSEES HOPEFULLY
NO LATER THAN MARCH 25. ALSO REQUEST EMBASSY
SUGGEST TO GNZ THAT IN VIEW OF TIME PROBLEM
US ISSUE INVITATIONS TELEGRAPHICALLY ON
BEHALF BOTH GOVERNMENTS BASED ON ABOVE AGENDA.
WE WOULD PROPOSE TO CALL MEETING "FIRST
GEOTHERMAL IMPLEMENTATION CONFERENCE".

3. ACTION: FOR ADDRESSEE POSTS (EXCEPT WELLINGTON
AND TOKYO); UPON RECEIPT OF GNZ CLEARANCE MENTIONED
PARA 2 ABOVE, REQUEST EMBASSIES CONTACT RESPECTIVE
CCMS GEOTHERMAL PILOT STUDY COORDINATORS AND ENCOURAGE
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